COAT timeline 2025

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| Term 3, 2024 | Friday, 20 September | * Schools can download the syllabus learning contexts from Unit 3 on which the 2025 COAT will be based. |
| Term 2, 2025 | Friday, 9 May | * Schools receive printed copies of the COAT stimulus material. * WASN identification sheet for each student available to be downloaded from SIRS by school COAT contact. |
| Monday, 12 May | * Marking key available to be downloaded from the English as an Additional Language or Dialect page on the Authority website. * Marks collection form available to be downloaded from SIRS2 by school COAT contact. |
| Monday, 12 May | * Schools receive information about uploading the Year 12 EAL/D ATAR course COAT, including student marks and audiovisual recording files. |
| Monday, 12 May to Friday, 6 June | * Administration of the COAT in schools. |
| Monday, 9 June | * Last day for the Authority to receive all student’s COAT **raw** marks by criterion (RSCOT file) in SIRS. |
| Wednesday, 11 June | * Last day for the Authority to receive all student’s COAT audiovisual recordings from schools. |
| Saturday, 5 July to Sunday, 20 July | * Independent marking of the COAT for Authority-selected recordings. |
| Term 3, 2025 | Friday, 15 August | * Schools can access SIRS reports containing COAT feedback. |
| Friday, 26 September | * Schools informed of the syllabus context from Unit 3 on which the 2026 COAT will be based. |